## MEMO

**DATE:** October 20, 2005

**TO:** Transportation and Communications Committee (TCC)

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**RE**: Report from the Reservation Transportation Authority

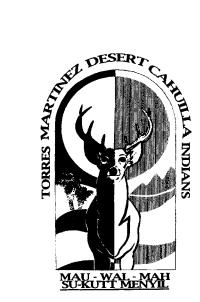
Pursuant to attached letter, Mr. Joe Loya, Tribal Manager/Project Coordinator for the Reservation Transportation Authority will be providing a verbal report on their recent activities focusing on following:

Reservation Transportation Authority

Challenges Tribes face in the new SAFETEA-LU

Introduction to Tribal Governance





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Mr. Amatya,

The Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians request the opportunity to include Mr. Joe Loya, Tribal Resource Manager / Project Coordinator to make a presentation to the Transportation & Communications Committee at the next scheduled meeting November 3, 2005 at 10:00 a.m. in Los Angeles, CA.

Mr. Loya will present an introduction on:

- Reservation Transportation Authority
- Challenges Tribes face in the new SAFETEA LU
- Introduction to Tribal Governance

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If you have any questions, please direct them to Joe Loya at (760) 397 – 0300 ext 139

Sincerely,

Cynthia Morales Tribal Administrator